

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In an Office Action dated August 1, 2008, the drawings have been objected to, a sequence listing has been required, and the claims have been rejected under §§112 and 102, and under the doctrine of non-statutory obviousness-type double-patenting. In response, Applicants submit the following amendments, remarks, corrected drawings and initial sequence listing. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

This response is being filed within the sixth month from the mailing date of the Office Action. Accordingly, a petition for a three month extension of time is being filed herewith.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

A listing of the Claims begins on page 3.

Remarks begin on Page 5.